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Security Council

10 a.m. . . . . 6543rd meeting (closed) . . . . . Conference Room 3 (NLB)

1. Adoption of the agenda
2. Meeting of the Security Council with the troop- and police-contributing countries pursuant to resolution 1353 (2001), annex II, sections A and B

   United Nations Organization Stabilization Mission in the Democratic Republic of the Congo

11 a.m. . . . . Consultations of the whole (closed) . . . . . Consultations Room GA-TSC-02

United Nations Regional Office for Central Africa (UNOCA)

Other matters

Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1533 (2004) concerning the Democratic Republic of the Congo

3.30–6 p.m. . . . . Informal meeting (closed) . . . . . Conference Room 6 (NLB)

General Assembly
Sixty-fifth session

Informal informal consultations on an outcome document of the high-level meeting on HIV/AIDS will be held *today*, 3 June 2011, on Monday, 6, and Tuesday, 7 June, at 10 a.m. and 3 p.m. in Conference Room 7 (NLB).

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General Assembly
Sixty-fifth session

There will be an informal meeting of the plenary to hear a briefing by H.E. Mr. Xavier Bertrand, Minister of Labour, Employment and Health of France, on "The social dimension of globalization: Priorities of the French G-20 presidency", *today*, 3 June 2011, at 10 a.m. in Conference Room 4 (NLB). A letter from the President of the General Assembly, dated 16 May 2011, was sent to all permanent representatives and permanent observers.

General Assembly
Sixty-fifth session

Informal informal consultations on an outcome document of the high-level meeting on youth will take place *today*, 3 June 2011, at 3 p.m. in Conference Room 2 (NLB). A letter from the co-facilitators, dated 6 May 2011, was sent to all permanent representatives and permanent observers.

General Assembly
Sixty-fifth session

Informal informal consultations on the scope, modalities, format and organization of the high-level meeting of the General Assembly to commemorate the tenth anniversary of the adoption of the Durban Declaration and Programme of Action will take place *today*, 3 June 2011, at 10 a.m. in *Conference Room 6 (NLB)*. A letter dated 27 May 2011, was sent to all permanent representatives and permanent observers.

General Assembly
Sixty-fifth session

The co-facilitators of the review of the Human Rights Council will convene an informal informal meeting of the plenary on Monday, 6 June 2011, at 10 a.m. in Conference Room 1 (NLB). A letter from the co-facilitators, dated 31 May 2011, was sent to all permanent representatives and permanent observers.

General Assembly
Sixty-fifth session

High-level meeting on the comprehensive review of the progress achieved in realizing the Declaration of Commitment on HIV/AIDS and the Political Declaration on HIV/AIDS (8-10 June 2011)

The high-level meeting on the comprehensive review of the progress achieved in realizing the Declaration of Commitment on HIV/AIDS and the Political Declaration on HIV/AIDS will be held from Wednesday, 8, to Friday, 10 June 2011. A letter from the President of the General Assembly, dated 31 May 2011, containing a detailed information note on the organizational arrangements of the high-level meeting was sent to all permanent representatives and permanent observers.

The list of speakers for the plenary meetings is open. Delegations are kindly invited to inscribe for the plenary meetings with the List of Speakers of the General Assembly Affairs Branch (e-mail heddachem@un.org), indicating the name and the level of the speaker.

Survey of Conference Services

The Department for General Assembly and Conference Management (DGACM) invites all delegations to respond to the online *Survey of Conference Services*. This e-survey aims to assess client satisfaction, while feedback will highlight, where necessary, areas for improvement in the quality and delivery of DGACM services.

The e-survey is accessible online *until Monday, 13 June 2011*. Please click on <emeets.un.org/dgacm/dgacmforum.nsf/surveye.html>, to fill out the e-survey.

The participation of delegations in this survey is appreciated.

General Assembly

Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions

10 a.m.–1 p.m. Closed meeting Conference Room 10 (NLB)

3–6 p.m. Closed meeting Conference Room 10 (NLB)

1. Section 24: Human rights
2. Executive meeting

Ad Hoc Open-ended Informal Working Group to study issues relating to the conservation and sustainable use of marine biological diversity beyond areas of national jurisdiction

10 a.m.–1 p.m.	7th meeting	Conference Room 1 (NLB)
	Consideration of recommendations to the General Assembly	[7]
3–6 p.m.	8th meeting	Conference Room 1 (NLB)
	Consideration of recommendations to the General Assembly *(continued)*	[7]
	Other matters	[8]
	Closure of the meeting	[9]

Economic and Social Council

Briefing

The Vice-President of the Economic and Social Council, H.E. Mr. Abulkalam Abdul Momen (Bangladesh), will hold a briefing *today*, 3 June 2011, from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. in the Economic and Social Council Chamber (NLB), on the programme of work of the Council for the coordination segment of the 2011 substantive session.

United Nations Children's Fund

Executive Board

Pre-session briefing

An informal pre-session information briefing on major issues before the UNICEF Executive Board will be held *today*, 3 June 2011, from 3 to 5 p.m. in Conference Room 4 (NLB). Immediately following the pre-session information briefing, the Executive Board of UNICEF will hold an informal consultation, in preparation for the 2011 second regular session on the biennial support budget for 2012-2013, from 5 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room 4 (NLB).

Other meetings

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Friday, 3 June 2011

Group of 77 (on the law of the sea)

1.15–2.30 p.m.	Closed meeting	Conference Room C NLB)

Group of 77 (on the 2011 substantive session of the Economic and Social Council)

1.15–2.30 p.m.	Closed meeting	Conference Room 2 (NLB)

OIC Group (Third Committee experts)

3–4.30 p.m. Closed meeting Conference Room A (NLB)

Southern African Development Community (SADC) (Third Committee experts)

3–6 p.m. Closed meeting Conference Room C (NLB)

Arab Group (Third Committee experts)

4.30–6 p.m. Closed meeting Conference Room A (NLB)

Other activities

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Friday, 3 June 2011

Panel discussion on "Public-private partnership in malaria control" (co-organized by the Roll Back Malaria Partnership and the World Bank)

From 10 to 11.30 a.m., in the *Delegates' Dining Room (Private Room)*.

[All are invited to attend. For registration and further information, please contact, Ms. Leona Rosenblum, Roll Back Malaria Partnership, New York Office (e-mail rbm@whoun.org; tel. 1 (646) 626-6056).]

Presentation on "International environmental governance in the context of the discussions on the institutional framework for sustainable development" (organized by the United Nations Environment Programme (UNEP))

From 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Conference Room C (NLB).

[All Member States and members of the Environment Management Group (EMG) are invited to attend. For further information, please contact Ms. Clarice Wilson, UNEP (e-mail clarice wilson@unep.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-8137).]

Press conferences

The schedule below is tentative; up-to-date information can be obtained at <www.un.org/News/ossg/conf.htm>.

Friday, 3 June 2011

Dag Hammarskjöld Library Auditorium

11 a.m.	Launch of the UNAIDS report entitled "AIDS at 30: Nations at the Crossroads" [*Speakers*: Ms. Asha-Rose Migiro, Deputy Secretary-General; and Mr. Michel Sidibé, Executive Director, Joint United Nations Programme on HIV/AIDS]
12 noon	Press briefing by the Spokesperson
12.30 p.m.	H.E. Mr. Xavier Bertrand, Minister of Labour, Employment and Health of France (on the social dimension of globalization: Priorities of the French G-20 presidency)

Forthcoming official meetings

General Assembly

2015 Review Conference of the Parties to the Treaty on the Non-Proliferation Nuclear Weapons

Preparatory Committee
Informal consultations

Informal open-ended consultations (closed), convened by the President of the 2010 NPT Review Conference, on the timing and venue of the first session of the Preparatory Committee in 2012 and the nomination of the Chair for that session will be held on Monday, 6 June 2011, from 1.15 to 2.30 p.m. in Conference Room 1 (NLB).

Committee on Contributions
Seventy-first session

The Committee on Contributions will hold its seventy-first session at Headquarters from Monday, 6, to Friday, 24 June 2011.

The attention of any Member States intending to request an exemption under Article 19 of the Charter of the United Nations is drawn to the provisions of General Assembly resolution 54/237 C, in which the Assembly, *inter alia*, urges such Member States to provide the fullest possible supporting information.

The Committee on Contributions will also be considering multi-year payment plans submitted pursuant to General Assembly resolution 57/4 B, as reaffirmed in resolution 64/248 of the Assembly. Any Member States intending to submit such a plan are also invited to contact the Secretary of the Committee for further information.

United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea

Meeting of States Parties

Working Group of the Bureau

The informal Working Group of the Bureau of the Meeting of States Parties to the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea will hold its 16th meeting on the workload of the Commission on the Limits of the Continental Shelf, on Tuesday, 7 June 2011, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Conference Room C (NLB).

United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea

Meeting of States Parties
Twenty-first Meeting

The Twenty-first Meeting of States Parties to the 1982 United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea will be held from Monday, 13, to Friday, 17 June 2011. The Meeting will be convened on Monday, 13 June 2011, at 10 a.m. in Conference Room 1 (NLB). The provisional agenda of the Meeting is contained in document SPLOS/L.67.

States parties are reminded that the election of seven members of the International Tribunal for the Law of the Sea, in accordance with article 4 of Annex VI to the Convention (Statute of the International Tribunal for the Law of the Sea), will take place during the Meeting. With regard to the composition of delegations, States parties that have not yet done so are requested to submit their credentials *no later than Friday, 10 June 2011*, to the Division for Ocean Affairs and the Law of the Sea, Office of Legal Affairs (room DC2-450). Credentials should be submitted in due form as required by Rule 13 of the Rules of Procedure for the Meeting of States Parties (SPLOS/2/Rev.4).

Economic and Social Council

Committee for Programme and Coordination
Fifty-first session

The fifty-first session of the Committee for Programme and Coordination will be held from Monday, 6 June, to Friday, 1 July 2011.

Delegations who have not yet submitted the names of their representatives participating at the fifty-first session are requested to do so to the Office of the Secretary of the Committee for Programme and Coordination (room L-0320; fax 1 (212) 963-0360).

All relevant documentation and the provisional programme of work of the Committee for Programme and Coordination for the fifty-first session are available on the following Web site: <www.un.org/en/ga/cpc/>.

United Nations Children's Fund

Executive Board
Annual session

The 2011 annual session of the UNICEF Executive Board will take place from Monday, 20, to Thursday, 23 June 2011, in the Economic and Social Council Chamber (NLB). The provisional annotated agenda, timetable and organization of work are contained in document E/ICEF/2011/8. Advance copies of all documentation for the session are available at <www.unicef.org/about/execboard/index_58110.html>. Member States, as well as observers and representatives of other organizations attending the session, are requested to submit their credentials to the Office of the Secretary of the Executive Board of UNICEF (e-mail jpiccolominigeary@unicef.org; fax 1 (212) 326-7096), as early as possible, *but no later than Friday, 10 June 2011*.

In accordance with rule 50 (2) of the rules of procedures and its annex, observer delegations are also requested to communicate, with their credentials, their special interest in the items of the provisional agenda on which they intend to intervene.

Executive Board of the United Nations Development Programme, of the United Nations Population Fund and of the United Nations Office for Project Services

Annual session 2011

The annual session 2011 of the Executive Board of UNDP, UNFPA and UNOPS will be held from Monday, 6, to Friday, 17 June 2011, in Conference Room 4 (NLB). The provisional agenda, list of documents and workplan for the session are contained in document DP/2011/L.2.

Board members as well as observers and other organizations wishing to inscribe on the list of speakers for a particular item should contact the secretariat of the Board (e-mail marcela.romero@undp.org, for UNDP and UNOPS items; and e-mail kneip-kobylarz@unfpa.org, for UNFPA items), indicating the name and level of the speaker.

Forthcoming informal consultations on draft proposals convened by permanent missions

General Assembly

Informal consultations on the draft resolution on "International Day of Freedom of Expression" (under agenda item 15 of the sixty-fifth session of the General Assembly (Culture of peace)) (convened by the Permanent Mission of Uruguay)

Monday, 6 June 2011, from 10 to 11.30 a.m. in Conference Room A (NLB).

Forthcoming other meetings

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International Criminal Court: Bureau of the Assembly of States Parties

Tuesday, 7 June 2011, from 8.45 to 9.30 a.m. in Conference Room 6 (NLB).

International Criminal Court: New York Working Group of the Assembly of States Parties (Plan of Action for achieving universality and implementation of the Rome Statute)

Tuesday, 7 June 2011, from 1.15 to 2.30 p.m. in Conference Room C (NLB).

Forthcoming other activities

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UNU Midday Forum on "The case for the International Criminal Court" (organized by the United Nations University Office in New York (UNU-ONY))

Monday, 6 June, 2011, from 2.30 to 4 p.m., in Room DC2-2330 (Two United Nations Plaza).

[All are invited to attend. For registration and further information, please contact Ms. Portia Gama, UNU-ONY (e-mail unuony@unu.edu; tel. 1 (212) 963-4381).]

Special event on "The role of the United Nations in international tax cooperation, the impact of transfer pricing on sustainable development and possible responses" (co-organized by the Financing for Development Office, Department of Economic and Social Affairs (DESA), the Friedrich-Ebert-Stiftung New York Office, Christian Aid and Center of Concern)

Tuesday, 7 June 2011, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Conference Room E (NLB).

[The event is open to all permanent missions and permanent observer missions. For further information, please contact the Financing for Development Office, DESA (Ms. Synnove Vedde-Fjaerestad (e-mail vedde-fjaerestad@un.org; tel. 1 (917) 367-9587); or Mr. Michael Lennard (e-mail lennard@un.org; tel. 1 (917) 367-5734)).]

Parliamentary briefing at the 2011 high-level meeting on HIV/AIDS (organized by the Inter-Parliamentary Union, in cooperation with the Joint United Nations Programme on HIV/AIDS (UNAIDS))

Tuesday, 7 June 2011, from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room 1 (NLB).

[The briefing is open to members of parliament. For further information, please contact Mr. Alessandro Motter, Office of the Permanent Observer of the Inter-Parliamentary Union (e-mail am@mail.ipu.org; tel. 1 (212) 557-5880); or visit <www.ipu.org/splz-e/aids-brief11.htm>.]

Panel discussion on the theme "Our oceans: Greening our future" (in observance of the World Oceans Day (General Assembly resolution 65/37 A)) (organized by Division for Ocean Affairs and the Law of the Sea, Office of Legal Affairs)

Wednesday, 8 June 2011, from 3 to 5 p.m. in Conference Room 6 (NLB).

[All are invited to attend. For further information, please contact DOALOS (e-mail boccia@un.org; tel. 1 (917) 367-0714).]

UNITAR Course on International Migration Law (organized in collaboration with the International Organization for Migration (IOM), the United Nations Population Fund (UNFPA) and the MacArthur Foundation)

Tuesday, 14 June 2011, from 9.30 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room E (NLB);

Wednesday, 15 June 2011, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room E (NLB); and

Thursday, 16 June 2011, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 3 to 5.30 p.m. in Conference Room E (NLB).

[For further information and registration, please visit <www.unitar.org/ny>; or contact Mr. Pierpaolo Capalbo, UNITAR (e-mail pierpaolo.capalbo@unitar.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-9684; room DC1-603; fax 1 (212) 963- 9686).]

UNITAR/OHCHR Orientation Programme for Diplomats on Human Rights

Monday, 20 June 2011, from 10 a.m. to 1.15 p.m. and from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room 6 (NLB); and

Tuesday, 21 June 2011, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room 6 (NLB).

[All are invited to attend. Registration is required and available at the following address <www.unitar.org/ny/international-law-and-policy/Human-Rights>. For further information, please contact Mr. François Richard, UNITAR (e-mail francois.richard@unitar.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-3021).]

Forthcoming meetings held away from Headquarters

Economic and Social Council

Substantive session of 2011
United Nations Office at Geneva
(4–29 July 2011)

The Economic and Social Council will hold its substantive session of 2011 from Monday, 4 July, to Friday, 29 July, at the Palais des Nations, Geneva. The session will open on Monday, 4 July, at 9.15 a.m. The annotated provisional agenda is contained in document E/2011/100. The proposed programme of work will be issued as document E/2011/L.12[1] and the status of documentation for the session will be issued as document E/2011/L.11[1]. For further information, please consult the Web site of the Council <www.un.org/en/ecosoc/>.

Lists of speakers

The lists of speakers for all segments are indicated below. If no specific reference is made to a list of speakers, it implies that no such list is being maintained. The lists will open for inscription on Monday, 13 June. The deadlines for inscription are indicated in the relevant paragraphs below. Requests for inscription on the lists of speakers should be sent, *in writing*, indicating the full name and title of the speaker, to the secretariat of the Council (Ms. Lorna Fidler (e-mail fidler@un.org)). In order to accommodate all requests for inscription, statements during the general debate of the high-level segment and during all other segments will be limited to five minutes, with the understanding that the full texts of the statements can be circulated in the meeting room.

High-level segment (4–8 July (morning))

A list of speakers will be maintained only for the general debate of the high-level segment, to be held on Tuesday, 5, and Wednesday, 6 July, from 3 to 6 p.m., and on Thursday, 7 July, from 3.30 to 6 p.m. The list will close by 5 p.m., the preceding day. A detailed programme of the high-level segment is available on the Web site of the Council <www.un.org/en/ecosoc/julyhls/pdf11/11_hls_programme_2011.pdf>.

Dialogue with the Executive Secretaries of the regional commissions (8 July (afternoon))

Panel discussion on the topic "Regional cooperation as a catalyst for development: examples from the regions"

There will be no established list of speakers.

Coordination segment (11–14 July (morning))

A list of speakers will be maintained for the general discussion of agenda items 4, 6 (a), 7 (a) and 7 (e). The list will close by 5 p.m. on the day before the general discussion of the items. A detailed programme for the segment is available on the Web site of the Council <www.un.org/en/ecosoc/julyhls/pdf11/11_cs-hls_programme.pdf>.

[1] To be issued.

Operational activities segment (14 July (afternoon)–19 July (morning))

A list of speakers will be maintained for the general discussion of item 3. The list will close by 5 p.m. on the day before the general discussion of the item. A detailed programme for the segment is available on the Web site of the Council <www.un.org/en/ecosoc/julyhls/pdf11/11_oa-hls_programme.pdf>.

Informal event to discuss the transition from relief to development (19 July (morning))

Panel discussion on the topic "The role of the United Nations and the international community in supporting the capacity of the Government of South Sudan to manage the transition"

There will be no established list of speakers.

Humanitarian affairs segment (19 July (afternoon)–21 July)

A list of speakers will be maintained for the general discussion of item 5. The list will close by 5 p.m. on the day before the general discussion of the item. A detailed programme of the segment will be posted on the Web site of the Council shortly.

General segment (22–28 July)

Lists of speakers will be maintained for the general discussion of each item under the general segment. The lists will close by 5 p.m. on the day before the consideration of the item. A detailed programme of the segment is available on the Web site of the Council <www.un.org/en/ecosoc/julyhls/pdf11/11_gs-hls_programme.pdf>.

Conclusion of work (29 July)

The Council will conclude its work of its substantive session of 2011 on Friday, 29 July.

Registration and accreditation

Information regarding registration and accreditation for the 2011 substantive session of the Economic and Social Council will be posted on the Web site of the Council shortly.

List of participants

Delegations should send, *in writing*, on the official letterhead, the names and titles of the members of their delegations (please indicate clearly the head and alternate head of delegation) as they would like them to appear in the official list of participants. Please send this composition of delegation to the secretariat of the Council by e-mail (Ms. Mary Constable (e-mail constablem@un.org)), as soon as possible, *but no later than 25 July 2011*. The list of participants will be issued as part of the official documents of the session.

Statements

In order to facilitate interpretation, delegations are kindly requested to provide 40 copies of their statements to the Conference Officers. Delegations wishing to have the full text of statements circulated in the meeting should provide 250 copies of the same to the Conference Officers.

Side events

A list of side events to be held in conjunction with the 2011 substantive session of the Council will be posted on the Web site of the Council shortly.

Announcements

Training for delegates and staff of permanent missions

The Dag Hammarskjöld Library will conduct the following training for delegates and staff of permanent missions in Room DC2-1142, as indicated below. All interested are kindly requested to register by e-mail (librarytraining@un.org) or telephone (1 (212) 963-5321).

Introduction to United Nations documents

In English:
Tuesday, 7 June 2011, from 10 a.m. to 12 noon;
Tuesday, 14 June 2011, from 10 a.m. to 12 noon; and
Thursday, 23 June 2011, from 10 a.m. to 12 noon.

In French:
Wednesday, 15 June 2011, from 10 a.m. to 12 noon.

Introduction to RSS and feeds

In English:
Wednesday, 8 June 2011, from 10 a.m. to 12 noon; and
Wednesday, 22 June 2011, from 10 a.m. to 12 noon.

Introduction to Economic and Social Council documentation

In French:
Thursday, 16 June 2011, from 10 a.m. to 12 noon.

In English:
Friday, 17 June 2011, from 10 a.m. to 12 noon; and
Tuesday, 28 June 2011, from 10 a.m. to 12 noon.

In Spanish:
Monday, 27 June 2011, from 10 a.m. to 12 noon.

United Nations Bibliographic Information System (UNBISnet)

In French:
Thursday, 23 June 2011, from 2 to 4 p.m.

In English:
Thursday, 30 June 2011, from 10 a.m. to 12 noon.

Official Document System (ODS)

In English:
Friday, 24 June 2011, from 10 a.m. to 12 noon.

Tentative schedule of General Assembly plenary and related meetings

The tentative schedule of General Assembly plenary and related meetings may now be accessed on the Web site of the General Assembly at the following address: <www.un.org/en/ga/info/meetings>.

Security Council

Communications to the President of the Security Council

Communications addressed to the President of the Security Council should be delivered to the Offices of the Security Council Secretariat Branch (room 08083, 730 Third Avenue (between 45th and 46th Streets); tel. 1 (212) 963-5258).

Web site of the presidency

The Web site of the presidency of the Security Council can be visited at <www.un.org/sc/presidency.asp>.

Recorded information

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Prepared statements

Speakers in the Security Council are advised that providing in advance copies of prepared statements which they intend to read out in the Council greatly facilitates the work of the Secretariat by permitting a sufficient number of copies to be distributed to all meeting participants and by assisting interpreters, verbatim reporters and press officers in maintaining the quality of the product delivered. Both interpretations and verbatim records rely upon the statement actually delivered, but copies of texts help interpreters to correctly render details and nuances and help verbatim reporters to produce the written record more quickly. Speakers are therefore encouraged, whenever possible, to provide copies of their statements, as early as possible in advance of delivery, to the Conference Officer in the Chamber.

Delegations are kindly requested to make 40 copies for minimum distribution to Council members and relevant services, and 200 additional copies for general distribution in the Security Council Chamber.

Delegations wishing to make statements available for the media are kindly requested to deliver 50 copies to the Media Documents Centre (e-mail mdc@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-7166; room SA-1B12).

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Signatures, Ratifications, etc.

[Multilateral Treaties Deposited with the Secretary-General]

Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities. New York, 13 December 2006

Signature: Papua New Guinea (2 June 2011)

Ratification: Belize (2 June 2011)[1]

International Convention for the Protection of All Persons from Enforced Disappearance. New York, 20 December 2006

Ratification: Belgium (2 June 2011)[1]

Declaration under article 31: Belgium (2 June 2011)[1]

Declaration under article 32: Belgium (2 June 2011)[1]

Convention relating to the Status of Stateless Persons. New York, 28 September 1954

Accession: Panama (2 June 2011)[1]

Convention on the Reduction of Statelessness. New York, 30 August 1961

Accession: Panama (2 June 2011)[1]

Optional Protocol to the Convention against Torture and Other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment. New York, 18 December 2002

Ratification: Panama (2 June 2011)[1]

Ratification: Bulgaria (1 June 2011)[1]

[1] Date of receipt of the relevant documents.

General information

Chairs of the regional groups

The following information regarding the chairmanship of the regional groups for the month of *June 2011* has been communicated to the Secretariat:

African States:
Senegal
H.E. Mr. Abdou Salam Diallo

Asian States:
Kuwait
H.E. Mr. Mansour Alotaibi

Eastern European States:
Republic of Moldova
H.E. Mr. Alexandru Cujba

Latin American and Caribbean States:
Bolivia (Plurinational State of)
H.E. Mr. Rafael Archondo
Chargé d'affaires a.i.

Western European and other States:
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H.E. Mr. Meron Reuben
Chargé d'affaires a.i.

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<www.un.org/sc/presidency.asp>

Security Council
<www.un.org/Docs/sc/>

Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1373 (2001) concerning counter-terrorism
<www.un.org/en/sc/ctc/>

Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1540 (2004)
<www.un.org/sc/1540/>

Department of Economic and Social Affairs
<www.un.org/en/development/desa/index.html>

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<www.icj-cij.org/>

Journal of the United Nations
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Documents issued at United Nations Headquarters on Thursday, 2 June 2011

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A/65/PV.82	Meeting held on 28 March 2011, 10.15 a.m. [A C E F R S] — *7 pages*
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